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**Box PATENT APPLICATION FEE**

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Sir:

Transmitted herewith for filing is the patent application of inventors Robert S. Horen and Sanjay Singal

For:

**SYSTEM AND METHOD FOR IMPROVED UTILIZATION OF BANDWIDTH  
IN A COMPUTER SYSTEM SERVING MULTIPLE USERS**

X Applicant claims small entity status. See 37 CFR 1.27.

Enclosed are also:

Information Disclosure Statement (IDS)/PTO-1449; copies of IDS citations

6 Sheets of informal drawings

An Assignment of the invention to:

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**This application claims the benefit of priority under 35 U.S.C. Sections 119(e) and/or 120 of the following U.S. Patent Applications:**

**U.S. Provisional Application SN 60/221,593 filed 28 July 2000, entitled Utilization of Bandwidth In A Computer System Serving Multiple Users**

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